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In re Application of  
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**ON PETITION**

This is a decision on the petition under 37 CFR 1.137(b), filed August 13, 2003, to revive the above-identified application.

The petition is **GRANTED**.

The above-identified application became abandoned for failure to reply in a timely manner to the non-final Office action mailed January 27, 2003, which set a shortened statutory period for reply of three (3) months. No extensions of time under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) were obtained. Accordingly, the application became abandoned on April 28, 2003.

The file does not indicate a change of address has been submitted, although the address given on the petition slightly differs from the address of record. If appropriate, a change of address should be filed in accordance with MPEP 601.03.

Telephone inquiries concerning this decision should be directed to the undersigned at (703) 306-5594.

The application file is being forwarded to Technology Center 2600, Art Unit 2614 for further processing.

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